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This is in response to the Examiner's Office Action that was mailed 9/12/2005 setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, and which was made FINAL. This response is being faxed on Monday November 14, 2005, within the two-month response file for this action. It is believed that no extension of time is necessary. However, if such an extension is required, please consider this a petition therefore. Charge the extension fee to Deposit Account No. 19-3790, along with any additional required fees.

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